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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a one (1) month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated September 20, 2002. A fee of \$110 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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